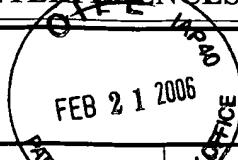


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Docket No.
H0004181-5601

In Re Application Of: ROBERT D. HORING



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